

## Message Text

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ACTION OPIC-06

INFO OCT-01 NEA-10 ISO-00 AID-05 EB-08 SSO-00 /030 W  
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O 210805Z MAR 77  
FM AMEMBASSY DACCA  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 3939

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E.O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: EINV, BG  
SUBJECT: BELBAGCO

REF: A. STATE 61035 B. STATE 30903 C. DACCA 1171 D. STATE 55104

1. WE HAVE NOT YET RECEIVED A REPLY TO THE OPIC LETTER  
(REF. B) WHICH WE SENT (REF. C) TO SECRETARY HAQ REQUESTING  
A REPLY BY MARCH 11. AMBASSADOR RAISED THIS ISSUE WITH  
INDUSTRIES ADVISOR MAFIZUDDIN ON MARCH 20 AND WE BELIEVE  
WE WILL RECEIVE A RESPONSE SOON. MEANWHILE WE ARE SENDING  
TO INDUSTRIES SECRETARY HAQ, TO JOINT SECRETARY ZAINUL ABEDIN  
AND, FOR INFORMATION, TO DIRECTOR GENERAL (AMERICAS), MINISTRY  
OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS, THE DRAFT AGREEMENT OF SETTLEMENT  
(REFTEL D).

2. WE BELIEVE IT SENSIBLE FOR OPIC ATTORNEY BROWN TO VISIT  
DACCA (REFTEL A) TO DISCUSS WITH US AND BDG OFFICIALS A  
SETTLEMENT OF THE BELBAGCO CLAIM. WE ANTICIPATE NO PROBLEM  
IN ARRANGING APPOINTMENTS WITH RELEVANT BDG OFFICIALS  
ON FAIRLY SHORT NOTICE.

3. WE DO SUGGEST, HOWEVER, THAT WE HOLD OFF ON  
SCHEDULING OPIC ATTORNEY BROWN'S VISIT UNTIL WE HAVE  
BDG REPLY TO OUR LATEST LETTER TO SECRETARY HAQ  
(REFTEL B). WE WILL CONTINUE TO PRESS FOR THAT REPLY  
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AT THE HIGHEST LEVELS UNTIL WE GET IT.  
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## Message Attributes

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